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SUBJ: TRADE FACILITATION: H.W. TSCHAEPPPELER AG (REPRESENTING SWISS
GOVERNMENT) VS MACRODYNE

1. ON DECEMBER 9, 1977, H.W. TSCHAEPPPELER AG, KIRCHENWEG
5, 8032 ZURICH, PHONE 01/34 07 77, TELEX 55 644 ORDERED
ON BEHALF OF SWISS GOVERNMENT AGENCY ONE ERDAC 1000 SYSTEM
AND INTERFACES VALUED \$21,615 FROM MACRODYNE, INC., 1900
MAXON RD, PO BOX 1079, SCHENECTADY, NY 12301, PHONE 518/
372-5619 (CONTACT RAJ RAMACHANDRAN, AND PAUL WATER, SALES).
EQUIPMENT WAS PARTIALLY DELIVERED FEB. 13, 1978.
DELIVERY WAS COMPLETED MARCH 10, 1978 AGAINST LETTER OF
CREDIT. SWISS GOVERNMENT AGENCY, TSCHAEPPPELER'S CUSTOMER,
RETURNED EQUIPMENT BECAUSE OF MALFUNCTION. SINCE REPAIRS
COULD NOT BE MADE IN SWITZERLAND, EQUIPMENT WAS
RETURNED TO MACRODYNE APRIL 28, 1978.

2. TWELVE CABLES, TELEX MESSAGES AND TELEPHONE CALLS
TO MACRODYNE LATER, TSCHAEPPPELER CLAIMS EQUIPMENT HAS
STILL NOT BEEN REPAIRED. TSCHAEPPPELER SAYS SWISS
GOVERNMENT AGENCY FURIOUS AND NOW THREATENS TO CANCEL
ORDER. PAYMENT WAS MADE IN FULL TO MACRODYNE.
TSCHAEPPPELER REQUESTS OUR ASSISTANCE IN OBTAINING
DELIVERY OF EQUIPMENT IN OPERATING ORDER.

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3. ACTION REQUESTED: IN VIEW INVOLVEMENT GRD (LARGEST
SWISS GOVERNMENT PURCHASER OF US MADE EQUIP-
MENT), WE STRONGLY RECOMMEND DOC IMPRESS ON MACRODYNE
IMPORTANCE OF PROMPT COMMUNICATION WITH TSCHAEPPPELER
AND RETURN AIR SHIPMENT OF REPAIRED ERDAC 1000 SYSTEM.
PLEASE CABLE MACRODYNE'S RESPONSE.
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